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# PROGRAM

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## Castle Master

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# MAIN Selection



## Freescape's back with an exclusive game to Home Computer Club Members

Walk through the castle in a real  
3D moving landscape.



When it comes to moving perspective, Freescape is the gaming system that leaves the others in the starting gate. If you haven't seen Freescape yet you're in for a real treat. Suddenly your computer screen becomes a window into realistic scenes that move in perfect perspective according to distance and your angle of vision.

*Castle Master* is the fourth Freescape adventure we've offered and it's certainly the fastest with more atmosphere and detail than ever before.

You take on the role of a noble Crusader on a quest to destroy the evil spirits that lurk inside a castle and free the prince and princess who have been held prisoner by these dark forces.

This moving 3D graphic adventure comes complete with incredible sound effects; from the tapping of footsteps, squeaking doors and lightning bolts to the crash of drawbridges falling and bats squealing.

From the opening scenes to the final conclusion, it's a giant 3D adventure in first person perspective.

Start off approaching the Castle Eternity from a distance; as you move closer its walls and turrets loom closer. Then cross the shark-infested moat to gain entry.

From there you enter the catacomb of rooms, courtyards and stables that hide dark secrets.

On the way you must collect the magic keys that will open the way deeper and deeper into the castle.

Each room has objects and doors that must be investigated. These invariably lead to more corridors and passageways. Armed only with a sling you must do battle with evil spirits, demons, rats and bats.

As a special bonus, we're also offering *Castle Master II - The Crypt*. Remember this bonus game is available only to Home Computer Club members. It can't be bought in the shops.

**3542** Released at £17.95

**CLUB PRICE £13.45**

**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**3552** Released at £21.95

**CLUB PRICE £16.45**

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# Castle Master

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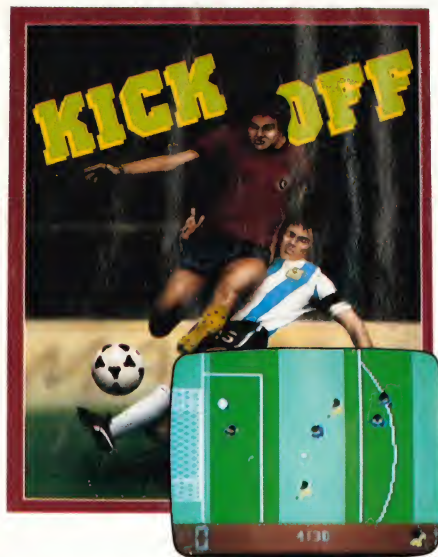
This issue of *Program* features 33 exciting items for your computer. To order, use the order form on the bottom of your statement. The Main Selection, *Castle Master*, will be sent to you in two months' time unless another item is ordered. If you have registered as a disk user, this item will be sent in disk form. Remember you may order further items in addition to, or instead of, the Main Selection.

## Explanation of Symbols

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- This symbol means the item on offer is disk.
- 128** This symbol means the item on offer is compatible with the Commodore 128 machines only.



## The pitch-scorching soccer simulation that leaves the others in the slow lane!



The roar of the crowd erupts and the teams march into the arena. Is it Maracana or Wembley? No it's your own table-top soccer simulation. *Kick-Off* is the blisteringly fast football simulation that gives you a bird's eye view of the quickest football games ever with all the corner kicks, goal kicks, fouls, penalties and injuries that go with the real thing. Play a friend or an opponent in 10-minute matches that automatically break for half-time. There's one or two player options, five skill levels from International to Sunday League, and the option to practice and learn skills. Make no mistake. Playing *Kick-Off* is easy. Winning games takes a lot of time and practice.

**6547** Released at £9.99   
 **CLUB PRICE £7.49**

### ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK

**6550** Released at £14.99   
 **CLUB PRICE £11.20**

## Level 9 does it again!

*The ghostly private-eye quest from the top adventure software house.*

A great new ghost private-eye quest from the masters of adventure games, *Level 9*. This ethereal detective tale takes you into a hundred locations. Yet it has a strange twist. For you are a ghost betrayed by a criminal gang and blamed for your own death.

Now you're back in your old haunts with a mission to clear your name. Only now you have detective skills and psychic powers. You'll see your own funeral, visit your own grave, and walk among villains and worldly associates who don't realise you're there. Solve puzzles that require the co-operation of several characters. Issue commands to worldly inhabitants. You've got three nights to round up the gangsters and clear your name.

**3846** Released at £14.95   
 **CLUB PRICE £11.20**

### ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK

**3847** Released at £14.95   
 **CLUB PRICE £11.20**



## Tread the fine line between illusion and reality

### Explore a 3D house to find the gems.

We bet you'll be amazed when you see the incredible detail resplendent in the graphics of this amazing treasure hunt game. With the most realistic recreation of the inside of a house ever seen on a computer and its challenging puzzles, *Raffles* is sheer delight. The plot is simple. As a thief who's broken into the house, you must explore the many rooms that are packed with objects and detail. Somewhere there are gems hidden within the walls. You've got to find every one of them before you'll be released.

But there's more. As well as the treasures there are traps and terrors lurking within the passageways such as savage mice and carnivorous canaries!

Once you've found a gem you must take it to Lady Crutcher on the first floor. Only when all the gems have been recovered will she open the door to let you out.

**3856** Released at £9.99   
 **CLUB PRICE £7.49**

### ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK

**3860** Released at £14.99   
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## Another great mystery parcel!

*4 disks or 5 cassettes – the choice is yours.*

Everyone, it seems, likes a surprise, which is why we've made this edition of Program extra special with another Mystery Parcel chock full of top products carefully compiled to delight you.

Although we won't tell you what's inside, you can be sure that our

Mystery Parcel contains the usual high standard of computer products that you've come to expect from the Home Computer Club.

So take a chance and order your Mystery Parcel today. Only £9.99 opens up a surprise parcel containing 5 items that would normally be worth a minimum of £40, or, for £14.99, 4 disks that normally cost around £50.

**7755** Released at £40.00   
 **CLUB PRICE £9.99 (for the set)**

### ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK

**7763** Released at £50.00   
 **CLUB PRICE £14.99 (for the set)**

**SAVE AT  
LEAST  
£30**



# Hard Drivin'



**Tengen's incredible coin-op simulation comes to your computer**

**Any more realistic and you'd need a licence!**

It really does seem that you're at the steering wheel of an ultra-fast sports car looking through an expanse of windshield at a landscape and roadway that flashes by in perfect moving perspective. Every now and again other road traffic appears. Some are fast cars, others are slower moving trucks. You've got to thread your way through the traffic without losing time. Miss a gear, misjudge a turn and crash. That shattered windshield tells you it's all over.

**4605** Released at £9.99 **CLUB PRICE £7.49**

**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**4606** Released at £12.99 **CLUB PRICE £9.70**

## Hold on for a V8 roller coaster ride



**Experience the ups and downs of a stunt car champion.**

The super-charged V8 mill is throbbing, the high-travel suspension is creaking and the stunt track beckons. Suddenly you're off, streaking up and down ramps of impossible gradients. Corner incorrectly and you and your car are history. Fortunately there's a crane standing by to winch you back on for another run.

Ride the roller coaster stunt track or any of the circuits that have apt names: the big ramp, the hump back, the stepping stones, the ski jump, the high jump and the drawbridge. When the last Formula One race has run its course, the real heroes come back for *Stunt Car!*

**9786** Released at £9.99 **CLUB PRICE £7.49**

**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**9823** Released at £14.99 **CLUB PRICE £11.20**

## Four levels of warring worlds

**Fighters against fiendish foes.**

Is it the breathtaking graphics or the super-fast combat action that makes *Forgotten Worlds* an addictive shoot-em-up par excellence? There's no time to think as you join the two super warriors fighting against evil demons in an attempt to rescue the world from the clutches of Emperor Bios.

Start the action on level one battling through a bleak cityscape to the entrance of an underground complex. Robot guards bar the way. Get past them and you'll be met with a maze of gas pipes. One false move and you'll be fried. Any second you'll come up against the first of many demons. Use your supply of



lasers, cannons, napalm bombs and homing missiles to blast through their defences.

Extra weaponry is earned by gaining extra points.

On to the Dust World of level two where deadly dust dragons lurk protected by gun emplacements. Hitting the dragon in the heart destroys it. Blasting other parts of its body makes it madder.

**"Excellent graphics with consistently frenetic action." *The One ST***  
**"The best Capcom conversion to date."**  
*Computer and Video Games*

Through to the hi-tech fortress of level three and the shrine of the God of War. There's only one way to destroy him and you'd better figure it out quickly.

Finally comes the battle in the kingdom of Bios. Snakes, maggots and sinister monks all conspire to take your lives. Defeat them and you earn the right to vanquish Bios himself.

**3861** Released at £9.99 **CLUB PRICE £7.49**

**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**3862** Released at £14.99 **CLUB PRICE £11.20**



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£7**


### Swift Spreadsheet

The program that makes you a master financial director and business forecaster!

**4912** Released at £24.95  
**CLUB PRICE £17.95**

**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**4913** Released at £24.95  
**CLUB PRICE £17.95**



### Licence To Kill

This time you're the one with the licence to kill. Features all the great stunts of the latest Bond movie!

**1146** Released at £9.99  
**CLUB PRICE £7.49**

**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**1145** Released at £14.99  
**CLUB PRICE £11.20**



### Tin Tin/BoBo

A great Gallic games double! The famous cartoon star comes to the computer. A fabulous recreation of a typical Tin Tin tale plus Bobo Bounces Back.

**8295** Released at £19.99  
**CLUB PRICE £13.99**

**SAVE AT  
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**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**8305** Released at £29.99  
**CLUB PRICE £21.99**



### Titan

An ingenious mix of the best arcade elements. Combines 'Breakout' and 'Pong', with Pinball.

**8282** Released at £9.99  
**CLUB PRICE £7.49**



### Dominator

Animated gaming zones that scroll two ways at once. Shoot-em-ups were never so lifelike!

**6523** Released at £9.99  
**CLUB PRICE £7.49**

### Indiana Jones Action Game

Whip-cracking action from the greatest celluloid explorer of them all. Two stunning recreations of the famous films – so don't just watch the movies – play them.

**3428** Released at £14.99  
**CLUB PRICE £11.20**

**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**3429** Released at £19.99  
**CLUB PRICE £14.99**



### Pictionary

The quick-draw game from the Trivial Pursuit people! Contains more than 2,500 words to sketch.

**9143** Released at £14.99  
**CLUB PRICE £11.20**

**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**9145** Released at £16.99  
**CLUB PRICE £12.70**



### Dragon Spirit/APB

Watch out – it's an airborne dragon with special powers to bomb and fire simultaneously. Plus the toughest patrol cop on the block, Officer Bob, out to bust the criminals and low-life on his mean streets.

**9311** Released at £14.99  
**CLUB PRICE £11.20**

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**9312** Released at £17.99  
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### Battle Stations

Triple coin-op action all the way! Danger and daring deep in the war zone with three explosive war games.

**4535** Released at £24.95  
**CLUB PRICE £9.95**

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**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**4531** Released at £29.95  
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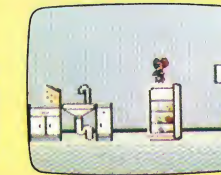
### Tom And Jerry

Interactive cartoon time with the famous cat and mouse duo. Animation antics that you control.

**5351** Released at £9.99  
**CLUB PRICE £7.45**

**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**5360** Released at £14.99  
**CLUB PRICE £11.20**





# Choose any 2 cassettes for only £9.90 or any 2 disks for just £14.90

Yes it's true, as a special offer to Home Computer Club Members, we've slashed the prices on these top titles!



## Gary Lineker's Superskills

Practice and then play with one of the top players. Simulates training routines as well as the big match.

**3523** Released at £9.99



**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**3524** Released at £12.99



## L.A. Crackdown

Join the LA cops on the drug bust of the year. It's another top strategy adventure from Epyx.

**4704** Released at £14.99



(disk only)

## Scruples

Just how scrupulous are you? Now the popular game of moral dilemmas goes electronic!

**2375** Released at £14.95



(disk only)

## Compleat Barbarian

Includes the original Barbarian plus the No 1 hit sequel. It's the great double extravaganza for "hack-em-up" heroes.

**4044** Released at £15.95



**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**4045** Released at £26.95



## Graphic Adventure Creator

Graphic Adventure Creator lets you write your own professional-quality adventures with full colour graphics. And all without needing to know a single word of a computer language!

**6125** Released at £27.95



(disk only)

## Munsters

Monster arcade fun with TV's famous first family of fright! Puts a ghost in your machine..

**5382** Released at £9.99



**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**5392** Released at £14.99



## Match Day 2

Kick off with one of the most breathtaking computer simulations of Britain's most popular sport yet. Brings a new dimension to TV football!

**5539** Released at £8.95



**AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**5551** Released at £12.95



## Skate Crazy

Watch out Torville and Dean! Meet the meanest mover on eight wheels.

**4280** Released at £14.99



(disk only)

## Total Eclipse

Lost in an ancient pyramid with minutes to save the world! Featuring the magic of Freescape to put you in the picture.

**5165** Released at £14.95



**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**5169** Released at £19.95



# You could save over £35




## Turn your computer into a digital drum kit


Who needs to spend more than a thousand pounds on a drum kit when *Rhythm King* is around to do the job? Thanks to the wonder of synthesised digital sound, you can perform your own drum solos and produce backing tracks virtually indistinguishable from the real thing. And of course there will be no problem with the neighbours!

You are in control of the precise number of beats and accents. Select your drum pattern from an easy-to-follow grid and enter the points at which you want your rhythm. Easy menu selection offers you a complete drum kit and percussion instruments from hi-hat and cymbals, to bass drum, snare drum, floor tom-tom and even handclaps. Full instructions start you off. Then let your sense of rhythm take over. Whether you are a serious musician with a home recording studio or just interested in sound synthesis, *Rhythm King* puts an unlimited degree of drumming variations under your control.

For the highest degree of sound realism and enhancement choose the special cartridge and disk combination.

**6037** Released at £14.99   
**CLUB PRICE £11.20**

**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**6042** Released at £14.95   
**CLUB PRICE £11.20**




## Now the famous Michael Jackson movie comes to the computer screen

Join the world Superstar entertainer in his adventures to rescue the children captured by Mr Big. Just like the original movie, this computer game adaptation features Michael re-creating all his celluloid exploits. Only this time, he's under your control. Start Michael off

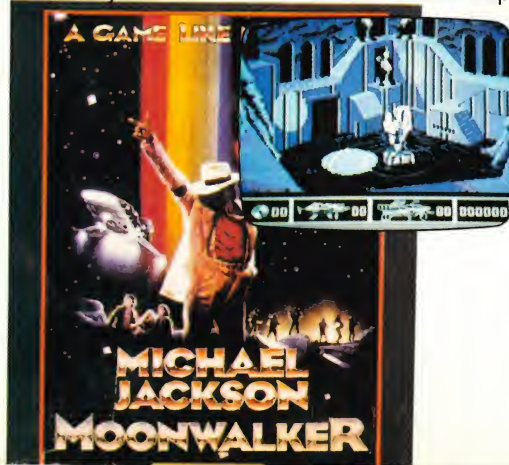
on his journey as he searches the city for essential items and disguises to keep him one step ahead of his pursuers. Once he's equipped, it's on to level two and the search for the power orbs necessary for him to turn into a super-fast Stratos car and escape to

where the captured children are being held. There it's straight into a shoot-out with the police and the rescue of the three children. Quick as a flash, push the fire-button, Michael changes into a robot, to fight the laser cannons and troopers protecting Mr Big. Once the laser cannon is destroyed Michael can turn into a robot ship and blast off. Just like the film!

**6529** Released at £9.99   
**CLUB PRICE £7.49**

**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**6532** Released at £14.99   
**CLUB PRICE £11.20**



## The ultimate collection of five of Epyx's greatest hits

No we couldn't quite believe it either. No less than five fantastic examples of the best of Epyx's incredible catalogue. We've offered all these titles individually in the past. If you don't already know, Epyx is one of the US's most famous software houses celebrated for its incredible sporting simulations.

Now is your chance to grab them all in one attractive compilation that will give you hours of first-class sporting fun.

There's 4X4 Off-Road Racing, The Games Winter Edition, California Games, Street Sports Basketball, and Impossible Mission II.


In 'Impossible Mission II' you're the secret agent who has to try to save the world from the evil Elvin Atomblinder and who has to penetrate his stronghold, get past guardian robots and search dozens of objects in dozens of rooms for the code to neutralise the mad scientist's missiles.

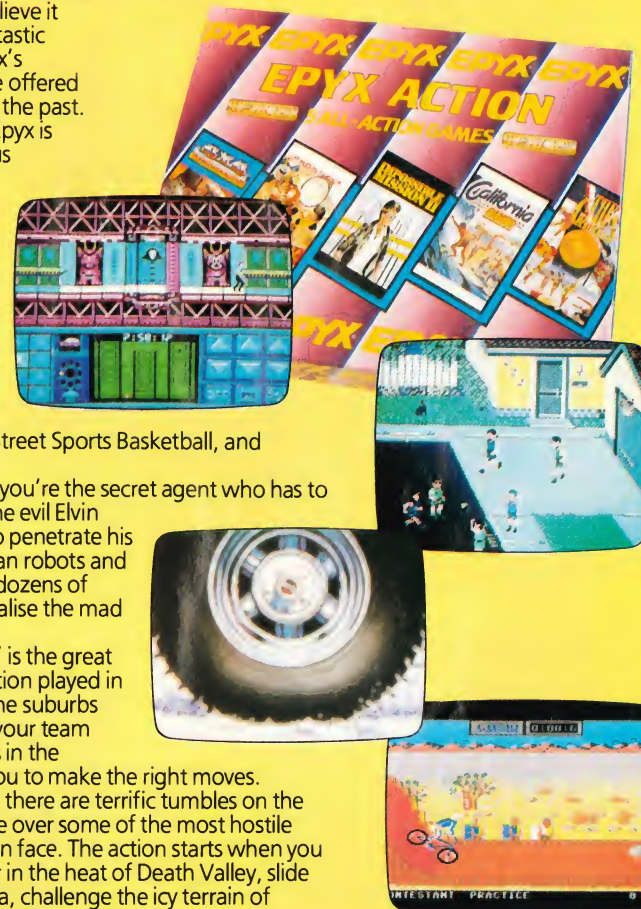
'Street Sports Basketball' is the great and gritty basketball simulation played in a parking lot, playground, the suburbs and a back alley. Assemble your team from the hottest star players in the neighbourhood. It's up to you to make the right moves.

In '4X4 Off Road Racing' there are terrific tumbles on the toughest of terrains! Bounce over some of the most hostile country an off-road racer can face. The action starts when you choose your course. Swelter in the heat of Death Valley, slide over the mudflats of Georgia, challenge the icy terrain of Michigan in winter, or take on the boulder-strewn Baja.

'California Games' is a challenge of skills for up to eight players who can win trophies in each event or compete for the top championship prize in roller skating, BMX'ing, Foot Bagging and Frisbee throwing.

'The Games' is the perfect simulation of the top winter Olympic events: figure skating, downhill skiing, cross country skiing, ski jump and slalom.

**3869** Released at £14.99   
**CLUB PRICE £11.20 (cassette only)**





## Here at last – both Trivial Pursuit classics

Play the original blockbuster as well as the follow-up with a host of new gameplay and graphic features.

*Trivial Pursuit II* retains much of the simplicity of the classic original. Developers Domark and Oxford Digital Enterprises have laboured hard to create a totally new variation of one of the best-selling board games of all time.

For it is the future and centuries of pollution have left the Earth a dying planet. Now you and your fellow *Trivial Pursuit* players are on a rocket heading for a new star system and the planet Genus 3. But only those who have a knowledge of trivia will be admitted!



**7677** Released at £29.90

**CLUB PRICE £14.95**

**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**7678** Released at £39.90

**CLUB PRICE £19.95**

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£14**



## Surprise and terror in a world you're trying to escape.

Lying comatose in a hospital bed you drift helplessly into the surreal shifting landscape of the subconscious where nightmares take on a new meaning..

As you wake up in a landscape redolent of a Dali painting, the nightmares come to life. You stumble into a series of bewildering and distorted scenarios where meat-eating rose bushes snap their hungry jaws, demonic toys spring to life and hideous creatures mutate in front of you.

This is the game *Weird Dreams* where you must solve the intricate and highly imaginative puzzles to fight your way back to a world of sanity where life assumes normal proportions.

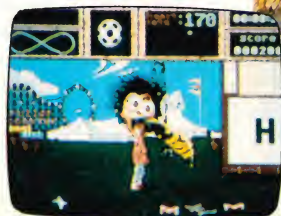
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**CLUB PRICE £11.20**

**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**3646** Released at £19.99

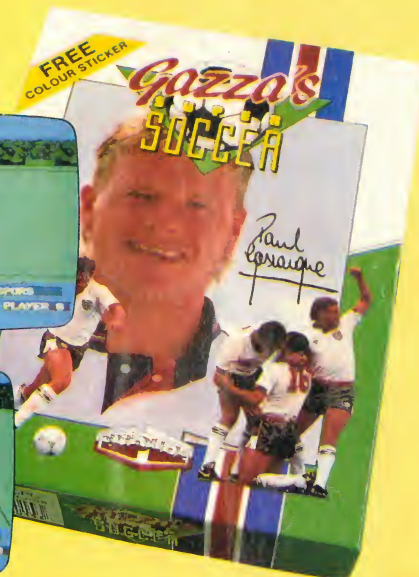
**CLUB PRICE £14.99**



## Fabulous football fun endorsed by the most exciting player

### Play a range of league, cup and practice matches.

Finally there's a soccer simulation that does the game justice. Thanks to new techniques in programming, *Super Soccer* brings a new feeling of authenticity into electronic sport. Endorsed by star player Paul Gascoigne, *Super Soccer* lets you create your own super-leagues, cup competitions and build the strongest squad you can. Then it's play time. Each player has his own characteristics so you can adjust skill level, speed and playing styles and control techniques that let you chip, curl, dribble and shoot your way through the opposition. Use the unique "Boot O



Meter" to vary the strength, height, and spin of the kick. Of course the usual rules apply, so you'll find free kicks, goal kicks, penalties and every other aspect of the real game has been perfectly captured. The player you control is marked on screen by a small triangle, this player follows your joystick, mouse or keyboard movements. Tackling is as easy as approaching another player and pressing the fire button. But take care. If you come up against a player with more skill you'll need to be persistent and accurate. When the summer months are here, you'll still be playing league matches long into the night!

**2699** Released at £9.99

**CLUB PRICE £7.49**

**ALSO AVAILABLE ON DISK**

**2702** Released at £14.90

**CLUB PRICE £11.20**





# Is it a film or is it a cartoon computer game?

## Not just a game, more an experience!

Remember those cliff-hanging serials that started the Saturday afternoon matinee? Crazy plots and a mix of unlikely criminals and heroes that finished each episode with a cliff-hanging climax.

*Rocket Ranger* is the wonderful interactive adventure version of those "B" movies. With coin-op quality graphics and animation, digitised music and sound effects, spectacular dogfights and combat sequences, it recaptures all the romance and thrills of the Saturday morning film treat.

Set in the future, it assumes that the Nazis won World War II in 1940 and plunged the world into a nightmare of fascist terror. But thanks to the work of a 21st Century group of scientists, you're about to be strapped into a jet-propelled rocket suit that will give you the chance to whisk back through time to prevent the Nazi victory and save the world from tyranny.

The task is to steal the five randomly-placed parts needed to build a rocket ship and then to collect enough of the lunarium fuel needed to fly to the moon.

Throughout the mission you'll direct agents in and out of strategic locations, order agents to carry out actions and monitor and analyse their reports as they come into the War Room.

Hostile Nazi forces will assault you constantly. Keep a tight grip on your radium pistol, ready to let fly at them as they approach. In the air you'll fly at the simulated speed of 3000 miles per hour, dodging flak and attacking planes. Hand to hand combat will test your physical strength.

Can you change history and save mankind? Maybe not, but there's an enormous amount of fun to be had trying!

**6731** Released at £19.99   
**CLUB PRICE £14.99 (disk only)**

